

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1996 - 0530 MST
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION: Fire activity moderated across the Southern Area yesterday, due to a long needed break in the weather. Resource mobilization through NICC was minimal.

Southern Area Fire Information:

ADA COMPLEX, Muskogee Area Office, Ada Agency, BIA. A Type I Incident Management Team (O'Bannon) is assigned. Priority was given to remote fires that had not received suppression action. To facilitate faster suppression response, staging areas have been established at Holdendale Airport, Ardmore Airpark and McAlister, Oklahoma. Higher relative humidities and light showers aided suppression efforts.

OKLAHOMA STATE FIRES. A Type II Incident Management Team (Kearney) is assigned to the State, working out of Muskogee, Oklahoma. The team assumed responsibility of fire suppression activities north and west of Interstate 40.

TEXAS STATE FIRES. Cooler temperatures and higher humidities are only having a marginal effect on fire spread and intensity. Burning bans are in effect in 76 counties. Twenty one counties are eligible for federal disaster assistance. A 30,000 acre fire continues to burn in Coryell County, on the Fort Hood Military Reservation. Twelve hundred Fort Hood Army personnel are assisting with suppression efforts.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRUC LOST	EST LOSS	EST COST
ADA COMPLEX	MAA	OK	33,663	UNK	UNK	254	3	19	4	UNK	12M	845K

Due to the number of new fires added to the Ada Complex, the percent contained and containment dates have not been determined.

Eastern Area Fire Information:

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRUC LOST	EST LOSS	EST COST
BIG LAKE CRK	MTF	MO	240	100	---	28	0	1	0	0	UNK	6K

OUTLOOK: Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Arkansas and the Gulf Coast states will be partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thundershowers. Temperatures will be cooler with highs in the mid 30's in northwest Oklahoma to the 70's in south Texas. Winds will be 5-15 MPH, except 15-25 MPH in southern Texas. New Mexico will be partly cloudy with widely scattered snow showers in the mountains. Highs will range from the 30's in the mountains to the mid 60's in the southern valleys. Winds will range from 10-20 MPH. Fire activity is expected to moderate as cooler

temperatures and increased showers cover the Area.

FIRES: 2/26

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
SOUTHWEST							0
EASTERN						17	17
SOUTHERN	3		1		61	14	79
USA	3	0	1	0	61	31	96

ACRES BURNED: 2/26

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
SOUTHWEST							0
EASTERN						530	530
SOUTHERN	18		2		1,549	121	1,690
USA	18	0	2	0	1,549	651	2,220

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources

RESOURCE	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOPTER		AIRTANKER		OVERHEAD	
	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON
SOUTHWEST	7		11				1		*	*
EASTERN			1							
SOUTHERN	13	*	44	*	11	*	8		245	*
USA	20	*	56	*	11	*	9	0	245	*

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

NON = NON FEDERAL RESOURCES

FIRES: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							*
NORTHWEST							0
CA-NORTHERN							*
CA-SOUTHERN		1			179	30	210
NORTHERN							*
GB-EASTERN							*
GB-WESTERN							*
SOUTHWEST	16	10		1	27	35	89
ROCKY MTN					27	4	31
EASTERN				7	2	61	70
SOUTHERN	40		25	37	7,995	366	8,463
USA	56	11	25	45	8,230	496	8,863

ACRES BURNED: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
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ALASKA							*
NORTHWEST							0
CA-NORTHERN							*
CA-SOUTHERN		1			3,876	23	3,900
NORTHERN							*
GB-EASTERN							*
GB-WESTERN							*
SOUTHWEST	4,169	5		2	784	166	5,126
ROCKY MTN					4,500	82	4,582
EASTERN				95	660	2,967	3,722
SOUTHERN	33,671		15,755	1,203	119,723	15,742	186,094
USA	37,840	6	15,755	1,300	129,543	18,980	203,424

* = No Report.

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